

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Takamitsu Saito
Serial No.: 10/575,346
Filing Date: April 11, 2006
Examiner/Art Unit: Patricia L. Hailey/1793
Title: ELECTRODE FOR USE IN A BATTERY AND METHOD OF
MAKING THE SAME

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.97(c)(1)**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The references listed in the attached form PTO/SB/08a are cited pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and 37 CFR 1.97(c)(1). On information and belief, the Japanese publication cited in the counterpart foreign application and listed in the attached form has a U.S. patent included the same patent family. The U.S. patent may or may not correspond to the cited Japanese publication, but Applicants list it below for the Examiner's convenience:

JP 2004-213971: US 2004/0126655A1 to Hisamitsu et al. (published date 2004-07-01).

Respectfully submitted,

YOUNG BASILE HANLON &
MACFARLANE, P.C.

/Michelle L. Knight/

Michelle L. Knight
Registration No. 47,711
(248) 649-3333

3001 West Big Beaver Rd., Ste. 624
Troy, Michigan 48084-3107
Dated: August 2, 2010